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HOW THE RAVEN BECAME BLACK.

A Lesson to Tale Bearers.

BY JOHN G. SAXE.

There's a clever classic story,
Such as poets use to write
(You may find the tale in Ovid)
That the raven once was white—
White as yonder swan a sailing
At this moment in the moat,
Till the bird, for misbehavior,
Lost, one day, his snowy coat.

"Raven white," was once the saying,
(So, at least, the story goes)
Spoiled its meaning, and thereafter
It was changed to "Raven black."

Shall I tell you how it happened
That the change was brought about?
List the story of the Cronis,
And you'll find the secret out.

Young Cronis, fairest maiden,
Of Thessaly's girlish train,
Whom Apollo loved and courted,
Loved and courted all in vain.

Flirted with another lover,
(So, at least, the story goes)
And was wont to meet him slyly
Underneath the blushing rose.

Whereupon the bird of Phebus,
Who their meeting chanced to view,
Went in haste to his master—
Went and told him all he knew:

Told him how his dear Cronis,
False and faithless as could be,
Plainly loved another fellow—
If he doubted come and see!

Whereupon, Appollo, angry
(Thus to find himself betrayed,
With his silver bow and arrow
Went and shot the wretched maid!

Now, when he perceived her dying,
He was stricken to the heart,
And to stop her mortal bleeding,
Tried his famous healing art!

But in vain! the god of physic
Had no antidote; alas!
He took her off so softly,
Couldn't bring the maiden back!

Angry with himself, Appollo,
Yet more angry with his bird,
For a moment stood in silence—
Impotent to speak a word.

Then he turned upon the Raven,
"Wanton babble, see thy fate;
Messenger of mine no longer,
Go to Hades with thy mate!"

"Woe! Plato with thy tattle;
Hither, monster, come not back;
And to match thy disposition—
Henceforth be thy plumage black!"

MORAL.

When you're tempted to make mischief,
It is wisest to refuse;
People are not apt to fancy
Bearers of unwelcome news.

SECOND MORAL.

Something of the pitch you handle
On your fingers will remain;
As the Raven's tale of darkness
Gave the bird a lasting stain!

The Disguised Heiress.

Miss Vernon sat at her window
Plunged in deep thought. She was
An heiress, prepossessing in appearance,
And, as natural, had suitors in plenty.
Among them she made choice
Of William Winsor, and in a few weeks
They were to be married.

William was engaged in the wholesale clothing business, and had the reputation of a sharp, active man of business. Nothing had come to the ear of Miss Vernon until the day before. A poor woman had come to the door in evident poverty, and asked for relief. On being questioned, she said she had been employed in making shirts at twelve cents a piece for wholesale dealers; that after making a dozen and carrying them to the store, she had been roughly told that they had been spoiled, and that nothing would be paid for her work, but that she might have some more if she would agree to do them better. She added that this was one of the small ways in which the firm made money out of poor women, by pretending that work was unsatisfactorily done, when really no fault could be reasonably found with it.

"Only a dollar and forty cents for a week's work!" exclaimed Miss Vernon in dismay.
"That's all," said the poor woman.
"How then do you live?"
"It can hardly be called living. It's just keeping body and soul together," said the poor woman.

"And who is this extortioner that offers you starvation wages and then defrauds you of even them?" asked Miss Vernon, indignantly.
"William Winsor."

"Who? demanded Miss Vernon, quickly.
"I can hardly believe this. I know the gentleman."

"It is true, and if you will investigate the matter you will find it to be so."

"I will investigate the matter. Here are five dollars for your present needs. Come here to-morrow at this time, and I may have some work for you to do."

The poor woman departed, invoking blessings upon the heiress.

"I will look into this," said Margaret Vernon, resolutely, "and if it proves true, the engagement between William Winsor and myself shall be broken."

"Nancy," said Miss Vernon, the next morning to the chambermaid, "have you an old dress, cloak and bonnet you can lend me?"

"I have got some that are so poor that I am not going to wear them again," said Nancy, surprised at such an inquiry.

"Will you lend them to me?"
"Of course, miss; but what would the likes of you want of such old clothes?"

"A little fun, that is all," said Miss Vernon. "I am going to disguise myself, and see if I can't deceive somebody."

With this explanation Nancy was content, and produced the clothes. Miss Vernon put them on, and in addition borrowed of another of the servants a thick veil somewhat the worse for wear, and then set out on her mission. No one could have recognized the usually elegantly dressed heiress, Miss Margaret Vernon.

Miss Vernon slipped out of the basement door and took her way to a large store on which was inscribed the name William Winsor, in large gilt letters. She entered, and after a while a clerk spoke to her in a rough voice, saying:

"Well what do you want?"
"I want some work," she said, in a low voice.

"We can give you some shirts,"
"Anything?"
"Can you sew well?"
"I think so."

"At any rate, we will try you." A half dozen shirts were given to Miss Vernon, and she was informed that if satisfactorily done, she would be paid twelve cents apiece. These she carried home, slipping in at the back door.

Two hours later the poor woman called.
"Here are some shirts to make," said Miss Vernon.

"Why they are the same kind as I have been making," said the woman, in surprise.

"That is true, and they came from the same place."

"Am I to take them there?"
"No, you will bring them here. I will pay for the work when done double the price you have been receiving."

"Thank you, Miss; you are very kind."

"Sew them as neatly as possible. I wish to see if they will be rejected as poor work."

"Yes, Miss Vernon, I will take pains with them."

Three days later the poor woman returned with the work completed. Miss Vernon paid for them, and required her to call the next day.

"Nancy," said the heiress, after her protégée had departed, "I wish to borrow your old clothes again."

"Certainly, miss, said Nancy, if it is not a shame you are to appear in such rags."

"No one will know me, Nancy."

"Sure, miss, you can take them again whenever you like."

"I don't think I shall need them again, Nancy, but I thank you all the same."

Not long afterward Miss Vernon in her shabby disguise, entered the establishment of William Winsor, with the bundle of shirts under her arm. She went to the counter and laid them down.

"What have you got there?" demanded a pert young clerk.

"Some work, sir," said Miss Vernon.

"Well why don't you open the bundle?" said the young man, picking his teeth with his knife.

Miss Vernon did so.
The young man deigned to tumble over the shirts, glancing at them carelessly.

"Shocking shocking!" he said.
"What is the matter, sir?"
"They are wretchedly sewed. That's what's the matter. How do you expect we are going to sell such shirts as these?"

"I am sure I thought they were well done," said Miss Vernon.
"You thought, did you?" repeated the clerk, mocking her. "I think differently, and that's all about it. We shan't pay you for these shirts. They will have to be sold at a loss."

"But what shall I do?" asked Miss Vernon, in distress.
"That is your business, not mine."

We will try you once more, and give you another half-dozen shirts. If they are done better you will be paid for them."

To the indignation of the clerk, who was not used to such independence in the poor woman who worked for the establishment, Miss Vernon took the shirts to another part of the counter, where she saw William Winsor himself.

"Mr. Winsor," "your clerk will not pay me for these shirts, he says they are not well done."

Mr. Winsor took one up and pretended to examine it.

"No, it's poorly done. We can't pay for these, but you may have another bundle, and if they are satisfactory, you will then be paid."

"Didn't I tell you so?" said the clerk triumphantly. "Now, how much did gain by that operation?"

"More than you think, perhaps," said Miss Vernon, quietly.

"Do you want any more work?"
"No, I don't wish any," she said, coldly.

"You are on a high horse, are you? Well, you may be glad to get work some day when you can't have it."

The evening was one which William Winsor usually spent with his betrothed. When he was announced he went forward warmly, as usual, to greet Miss Vernon. She drew back coldly and did not offer her hand to grasp his.

"What is the matter, Margaret?" he asked, surprised and startled.

"My hand has taken yours for the last time, Mr. Winsor," said Margaret.

"Good heavens! what is the meaning of all this? I cannot understand it."

"I cannot take the hand of one who grows rich by defrauding poor women out of their scanty earnings."

"Who says this of me? Some one has been slandering me. Confront me with my accuser. There is some mistake here."

"I will do as you desire. Wait five minutes."

Miss Vernon left the room and soon returned in her disguise. The young man strode up to her angrily.

"Are you the one that slandered me to Miss Vernon?" he demanded.

"I told her the truth."

The young man reflected. Violent contradictions he saw would not avail him, he would try another course.

"Hark you," he said, in a low voice "there was a mistake. I will make it up to you richly. I will give you ten dollars on the spot, and all the work you want at double if you will tell Miss Vernon it was all a mistake."

"Too late, Mr. Winsor," said the veiled figure, throwing up her veil and showing the contemptuous face of Margaret Vernon. "Your bribe is offered in vain. Good-evening, sir."

Confused and astonished, William Winsor found his way to the door, and has never ventured to enter the house of the heiress since.

A Maiden's Love.

Human nature has no essence more pure, the world knows nothing more chaste, heaven has endowed the human heart with no feeling more holy than the nascent affection of a young virgin's soul. The warmest language of sunny South is too cold to shadow forth even a faint outline of that enthusiastic sentiment. And Providence has made the richest language poor in the same respect, because the depths of hearts that thrill with love's emotion are too sacred for common contemplation. Yes, the light of a young maiden's first love breaks dimly, but beautiful upon her as the silver lustre of a star glimmering through the thickly-woven bower, and the first blush that mantles her cheek as she feels that primeval influence, is faint and pure as that which a rose leaf might cast upon marble. But how rapidly does the light grow stronger, and the flush deeper—until the powerful effulgence of this one irradiates every corner of her heart, and the crimson glow of the other suffuses every feature of the countenance.

Go forth in haste, with bill and paste, Proclaim to all creation:
The men are wise who advertise
In the present generation.

After a man finds out that he has been winding an eight-day clock every night for fifteen years, he has a perfect right to kick the cat all over the house.

From Webster County.

DIXON, KY., April 10, 1876.

DEAR HERALD:—As it has been some time since you have received a communication from this part of the State, and knowing you to be a strong advocate in the cause of Temperance, I have concluded to give you a sketch of the affairs relative to the workings of the order in and around Dixon. The lodge at this place was reorganized in February, 1875. It now numbers eighty-one in good standing. Never, since the organization of Dixon lodge, has there been as much interest manifested for the Temperance cause, as there is at this time. Since the adoption of Local Option in this district, there have been initiated in the I. O. G. T. at this place, men whose influence, previous to its adoption, was weighty and powerful in favor of "King Alcohol." As an evidence of the interest manifested in the cause of Temperance reform, I will state that at our last meeting, we initiated twelve into the order, some of whom were among our most influential citizens, men who will wield a powerful influence for temperance reform. It is generally believed that the recent additions to our number was the result of an influence brought about by a "play" known as a "Good Templar's Drama," and called "Saved," which you have seen played. It was first suggested by J. E. Haynes, who, by the way, is now a Good Templar, and knew the great merit of the same, by having seen it on the stage. The order first presented it to the public at the Court House in Dixon, on the evening of the 17th of March, 1876, and so great was the interest of the audience, and so powerful the good effect it produced, that the Lodge, yielding to the importunities of the public presented the same for four consecutive nights, persons from every section of the county coming in to see and hear, and who, we are satisfied, went home wiser and better men. Every part was well sustained, more especially the leading characters of Frank Raymond, and Allie, his wife—the former being personated by Mr. T. B. Botts, a talented young lawyer of our town, who, as an amateur, we have never seen excel. He was ably supported by Miss Ida Tapp, as Allie.

I am satisfied that I never saw a more appreciative and interested audience than the one which witnessed the performances of the beautiful drama on Wednesday night, March 22d, and when it came to the scene where poor Frank (and my God! how many such scenes can be witnessed every day!) deserted by all save his faithful and loving wife, when lying upon his bed of straw writhing in the agony of alcoholic fever; when the gentle, pleading and pitiful voice of Allie was heard bemoaning the drunkard's fate; when she was so cruelly deserted by her own father; when Frank, rising from his bed of poverty, prayed Allie not to desert him; when seized by the demon of drink, he wildly raved until chained by the "serpent of the still," he fell to the floor, wrapped in their deadly fangs;—I say when all this was depicted before the audience, there was not an eye within the house that was not moistened by beads of sorrow. Mr. Botts and Miss Tapp, in the rendition of their respective characters, in my humble opinion, cannot be excelled by even professionals. So much interest has been evinced, and so great the good which has resulted that the "Troupe" has yielded to pressing invitations, and will play at several different points in the county. But enough. Excuse the length of this, for when I become enthused in a subject, I am apt to write too much. Yours,

NIEMAND.

The Drunkard's Wife.

Deep down in the secret recesses of the neglected and abused wife, what thoughts must suggest themselves as she looks at her bloated and bleared husband. Pinched for the merest necessities of life, discomfort and disgrace meeting her at every turn, what must be the estimate of him who once vowed to love, cherish and protect her. His want of decent manhood has dispelled every dream of girlhood, and in its stead is bitter, blighting despair, with not one gleam of sunshine to light the path of life.

The first principles of economy are "Get only what you need, and don't waste what you get."

From Horse Branch.

HOISE BRANCH, April 10th.

MR. EDITOR:—Until recently, this beautiful and business point, or R. R. Station, has not been noticed in public print. Horse Branch is situated in a beautiful little valley, thirteen miles below Caneyville, and three miles above a little station called Rosine. It contains a large, commodious freight and passenger depot, telegraph office, one store, and one large new tobacco warehouse, recently erected by our old and much respected citizen, Mr. Make Miller.

Mr. Ford, one of our energetic business men, and granger farmers, has a very large tobacco barn on his farm, one and a half miles back of the station, and will prize for the planters this year about 150,000 pounds of tobacco, equal to 100 hogheads, which with the addition of other prizes, Messrs. Isaac Axton, Van Rains and James Axton, who are also prizeing, will make the shipment from this point this season, somewhere in the neighborhood of 200 to 250 hogheads of the weed, equal to about 375,000 pounds.

Mr. Ford, I am credibly informed, contemplates erecting a large commodious tobacco prizeing house immediately at the station, with all the modern arrangements for handling and prizeing tobacco. The house will be 80 feet long by 50 feet wide, capable of holding 1000 hogheads.

JOHN P. BARRETT, Editor.

HARTFORD, OHIO COUNTY, KY.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 12, 1876.

THE KENTUCKY DEMOCRACY.

Call for a State Convention to Nominate an Electoral Ticket and Appoint Delegates to the St. Louis Convention.

At a meeting of the Democratic State Executive and Central Committees this day, held at the office of Isaac Caldwell, in the city of Louisville, a convention of the Democratic party of Kentucky was called to meet in the city of Louisville on the 25th day of May, 1876, at 12 o'clock, m., for the purpose of nominating a Democratic electoral ticket for Kentucky in the Presidential election of 1876, and for the purpose of appointing delegates to the United States Democratic convention to be held at St. Louis on the 27th day of June, 1876, and to take other action for the organization and general good of the party. By resolution adopted at said meeting, the county committees for the several counties in the State are respectfully requested to give due notice and take proper steps to hold primary meetings of the Democratic voters of their counties for the purpose of appointing delegates to said convention. In order to insure a full representation of the party, the several counties are requested to send one delegate for every one hundred votes, and one for every fraction over fifty cast for James B. McCreary for Governor, at the last gubernatorial election; and the said primary meetings are also requested to name suitable persons for county committeemen in their respective counties, and cause them to be reported to said convention, or to authorize their delegates to said convention to name such county committee.

The Democratic papers of Kentucky are respectfully requested to publish this call. ISAAC CALDWELL, Ch'n.

The public are in a tumult all the while about Secretary Bristow. The last yarn was that he had or would resign. He denies it.

One of the students of Centel College, Danville, Kentucky, was hung last week by his fellow students, and would probably have lost his life had not some of his friends come to his relief. He was charged with some improper conduct that exasperated the students.

"Little Rhody" held her state election last week, and as was to be expected, she endorsed the administration of Grant, Babcock & Co. by a plurality vote. The contest will be determined by the legislature, which is largely Republican, and hence the state officers elected will be Republican.

The Senate bill reducing the salary of the president from \$50,000 to \$25,000 has passed the House, and will become a law unless vetoed by Grant. This is a start in the right direction. Let the good work go on until all the exorbitant salaries are cut down to suit the times.

Rejected.

Mr. R. H. Dana, of Massachusetts, who was nominated by President Grant as minister to England to succeed Pomeroy, failed to have his nomination confirmed. A little game of literary piracy engaged in by him a few years ago did the work for him, next.

We have received a stray copy of the Midway Sun, edited and published by Ben. Deering. It is a four page, seven column weekly, and bears evidence of being conducted with energy and ability. We wish it much success.

The prisoners in the Louisville jail made an effort to escape last week, but their plans were found out in time to prevent it. They had an accomplice outside, who was caught, arrested, and is himself now confined in jail.

Connecticut Democracy.

The grand old wooden nutmeg state has spoken, and she rights up on the Democratic side of the line with a larger majority than ever before, and much more than offsets the sale of New Hampshire to the Republicans.

General Meigs needs a little investigation. He is quarter-master-general, and David Webster, of New Hampshire, testified before the committee that he had a moose exterminator, and that Meigs asked him how much he would give to put it in general use in the army, and intimated that Cowles & Co. paid him something out of the proceeds of the sale of their moose exterminator. Webster said he would not give a cent.

OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

WASHINGTON, D. C. April 8, '76.

A BITTER FILL FOR THE REPUBLICANS was the Connecticut election on the 3d inst. They are whistling very loud to keep their courage up. The Washington Ring Organ announces "Large Republican gains in Connecticut," in a head line, and underneath, they give the returns from that State, which shows that the Democrats have 18 in the Senate, to 3 Republicans, a gain of 4 over last year; and 159 Democrats, to 85 Republicans and 2 Independents, in the lower House, a gain of 22 over last year. This gives a Democratic majority of 87 on joint ballot. Ingersoll, the Democratic candidate for Governor, has a majority of 7,514 over the Republican candidate, a gain of 966 over his majority last year. There were a "Greenback" and a Prohibition candidate who polled each 1,900 votes, so that one offset the other, which leaves the regular Democratic gain as above stated. These results will have reached your readers by telegraph before they see this; but experience proves that the Associated Press reports are frequently manipulated in the Republican interest, and I have thought it worth while to state the precise facts.

One immediate result of the Democratic gains in Connecticut will be to increase the chances of Senator Conkling for the Republican nomination for the Presidency. He has two elements of strength. He is "in" with the Grant Ring, and he is supposed to have great strength in New York; and nothing is more certain than that it will be necessary to carry that State, to win. We may expect, therefore, to see the Administration use every means possible to secure New York in the coming election. It will not do for the Democratic party to underestimate the immense power Grant wields through the New York Custom House, and other Federal patronage in the State. Whatever may be necessary to counteract this power must be done. There is a very generally expressed opinion, among the leading Democrats here, that we may expect a bitter fight for the possession of New York State, and that we must arrange our plans for the campaign with that fact in view.

THE POST-TRADESHIP INVESTIGATION has involved another one of Grant's special friends, Simon Wolf, a prominent Israelite of this city, who secured Presidential favor by naming a child "Ulysses S. Grant Wolf," and got, shortly after, the office of Recorder of Deeds of the District of Columbia, which is estimated to be worth \$15,000 per year. Wolf is well known in Washington as one of the few men on terms of intimacy with Grant, from whom he has secured numerous marks of favor in the shape of appointments for friends. His influence was sufficiently strong to secure the appointment of a Chicago Israelite named Solomon, as Governor of one of the Western territories, a few years ago; a position from which he was forced to retire, soon after, under suspicious circumstances. It now appears that Wolf was connected with the sale of a certain post-trade ship, and received \$250 for his influence with the President and Secretary Belknap. Wolf denied this at first; but when recalled to the stand, on Tuesday, he made a more feeble denial, saying that he did not remember that he had received \$250 from any person except, possibly, in a "professional" way. Other witnesses will be put on the stand to revive Mr. Wolf's memory, after which it is Mr. Clymer's intention to have him indicted for perjury. Certainly, when the lightning strikes so near "the old man"—when it caroms on his warmest friends, and even on his own brother—the public is justified in believing it quite possible that the pending investigations will ultimately incriminate even the Chief Executive himself. If it does not, the world will surely cease to credit the assertion that "a man is known by the company he keeps."

A POINT IN THE REPUBLICAN GAME, in both Houses, is to provoke, by taunts and jeers, the members who were identified with the late Confederate States Government, especially those who served in the Southern Army, into ungoverned utterances. In the Senate, their target, for some time, has been General Gordon, of Georgia, than whom a more courteous gentleman in debate does not occupy a seat in the Senate. Senator Gordon, as is generally known, laid down his arms with Lee, at Appomattox, and has never violated his parole. And yet, Morton and his brother radicals have hurled their venomous shafts at him repeatedly, hoping to provoke him into an angry ungoverned reply. "The devil on two sticks" as the witty Don Piatt styles the senior Senator from Indiana, recently called

Gordon "a living monument of the magnanimity of the republican party," fondly hoping that the Georgia Senator, in reply, would say something which he, Morton, and his followers, could quote from the political stump, to prove that the Southern people are still unrepentant and unrepentant. The Georgia Senator was wise enough to treat Morton's gibe as it deserved to be treated—with dignified silence.

HON. B. A. WILLIS,

of New York, who introduced the "compromise" financial bill which has attracted such general attention, is one of the most energetic and efficient members of the House. Few men succeeded, during their first term in Congress, in attaining so prominent a position as Mr. Willis has already achieved. Whatever may be the final action upon this bill, which is one of the most important before Congress, there can be no question as to the ability and thought displayed in its preparation; and, should it be adopted as a means of compromise on the money question, by both parties, as Mr. Willis expects, it will confer an honorable fame upon its author.

"THEY FALL AS THE LEAVES FALL."

The telegraph will have informed you of the indictment, and arrest, of U. S. Senator S. B. Conover, of Florida, for the embezzlement of \$40,000. This is truly a hard year for Republican office holders. Spencer is expected a coat of whitewash, and he will probably get it, as much of the most important evidence against him has been excluded by the committee. He will commence to offer evidence for the defense to-day. Whatever may be the report of the committee, the people are not to be deceived. Two other radical Senators are under stood to be on "the ragged edge," awaiting disclosures of frauds in which they are implicated. Political graves are being dug for a large number of gentlemen high in the Republican party, and on their tombs will be inscribed, "Die jact—Gone to meet Belknap." No wonder the National Republican thinks that "these Congressional investigations are doing more harm than good."

The New Minister to England a Literary Pirate.

It is a fact of record in a Boston court that Richard H. Dana, jr., Grant's newly appointed minister to the Court of St. James, was in 1867 convicted of literary piracy, in getting out a new edition of Wheaton's Elements of International Law, and by consequence of perjury in the same case, and is therefore a fit successor of Pomeroy Schenck. The piracy was in using the original notes of William Beach Lawrence's edition of the same work; and the perjury, in swearing in answer to the charge made by Lawrence when bringing the suit, that he had not so used said notes. Ben. Butler opposes his confirmation. Dana has been cited to appear before a Senate committee to answer this charge, and has written a letter refusing to attend. He will not be confirmed. Next.

From McCracken County.

WOODVILLE, KY., April 8, EDITOR HERALD.—As I have had the pleasure of perusing a few copies of the HERALD, and seeing you have no correspondent from the Purchase, I thought I would add a few lines to its columns. The HERALD is a welcome visitor, we hail it as an old friend, from the fact it brings to our remembrance childhood scenes, and it almost seems that we were there.

The farmers are making preparations for a large crop. The wheat looks well, and bids fair to yield an abundant harvest, tobacco plants fine, and plentiful, a great many can be set out by the last of May.

The waters are higher than they have been for years, the Mississippi is sweeping everything before her, great destruction of human life and property, on the Ohio river.

The farmers are getting a fair price for their tobacco, Paducah, is one of the best tobacco markets in the Purchase.

Pneumonia is prevailing in our vicinity.

As to the morals of the Purchase, I cannot boast, as every public day, King Alcohol reigns supreme.

The Grangers are strong in this county, and seem united.

There have been a great many weddings in this locality, recently, they do not consult parents, but get in a skiff, cross the river, and marry.

As to politics, we think Bristow, will suffice. McCracken.

Dr. J. S. Morton was found in his office quite ill, on Monday, and he was supposed to be dying at one time. He was taken to the house of Mr. A. L. Morton, where he was well attended to, and is now recovering rapidly.

Card from the Rander Coal Company.

HAMILTON, OHIO CO., KY., April 10, 1876.

Ed. HARTFORD HERALD:—At a board meeting of the Rander Coal Company at their office at the mines, on last Friday, April 7, a resolution was offered and adopted to appoint Wm. Hamilton, sr., agent to negotiate with parties for the sale of their entire property, consisting of 22 cottage dwelling houses, 2 large boarding houses, commodious store, office, and station house, together with engine and screen house, large stable, corn crib, and other out houses; 2 engines, one of them made by Messrs. Granger & Co., Louisville, was the largest engine used in the Exposition building three years ago; one yoke of oxen and wagon, 8 bank mules, 37 bank cars, dirt carts, water boxes, etc.; 1,275 feet main siding for lump coal, and 300 feet siding for nut coal; 1,000 acres of the finest coal land on the L. & P. S. W. R.R., also iron ore, fire clay, freestone for building purposes in great abundance on the above; also a lease on the extensive coal field of J. L. Rander. One slope put down to the coal which proved the coal to be 4 feet 10 inches thick of fine quality. Drawings of the extensive coal bank and slope can be seen at the house of the agent, who will take great pleasure in showing plat of bank, boundary lines, will answer all questions by letter or otherwise propounded to him, giving full particulars and all information that may be desired by parties wishing to purchase. The said company's coal fields extend along the line of the railroad for nearly two miles, and can be opened at three different points besides the two that are already opened; can take out at the upper bank four thousand bushels per day, and with but little additional cost, three times that amount. The said company give as their reason for wishing to sell their valuable property that they are not practically adapted to the coal business, and for the benefit of all concerned wish to sell out to practical men on easy terms.

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General Local News.

L. BARRETT, LOCAL EDITOR

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 12, 1876.

Miss Bettie Cook, of this place, left
last Sunday to take charge of the school
at No Creek, about four miles from
town. From her qualifications and
experience as a teacher, we predict for
her a prosperous school.

Mr. Eli Chinn, brought to our office
last week, what was once a part of an
Irish potato, but it has turned to a
rue. It was found on a south hillside
on his farm about six miles west of
here. The hillside has very frequently
been planted in potatoes. This seems
to have been cut in two by a hoe. It
has the appearance of a potato, on the
outside, the eyes are plainly to be seen.

Rev. Mr. Caperton, of the Western
Recorder, Louisville, Ky., preached
for us at the court-house last Saturday
night. His sermon was an earnest
effort and just the kind to do good.
His talk to the people about their duty
in regard to subscribing and reading
news papers was excellent. He hit
the nail on the head every lick. He
will preach at Beaver Dam, next
Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday
night. We advise our readers to turn
out and hear him, as they may not
have an opportunity again soon.

Our office was invaded last Saturday
morning, by eleven of Hartford's most
bewitching and fascinating young
ladies. Although their visit was quite
a surprise to us, yet we were delighted
to greet them. All hands quit work
to assist in showing them through the
office. We are always glad to have
our friends call on us, and especially
the young ladies. Our "devil" seen e
perfectly awe-struck, and declares he
never witnessed sweetness, in such
profusion, before. The young ladies
will please accept the thanks of the
HERALD corps, for their visit, and
may they call again soon.

Miss Ellen Taylor, one of Hartford's
charming young ladies, has consented
to take charge of the school at Alex-
ander school house, about two and a
half miles north of town. We hope
she will receive the patronage due one
of her qualifications and refinement.

By request of the Republican Exe-
cutive committee, we publish the pro-
ceedings of the convention held here
on the 3d of April, and add to it the
various sub-committees of the county.
We were so hurried last week that we
could not get all the proceedings in,
and some errors were made.

We learn that a stabbing affair oc-
curred last Saturday in Cromwell.
Wayne Smith and Wm. Daniel had a
difficulty, and Daniel struck Smith
and Smith drew a knife and cut him.
The cut was not serious. They were
arrested and tried, and Daniel was
fined \$2.50 for assault and Smith was
discharged.

Mississippi is at last rid of Governor
Ames, Lieutenant Governor Davis,
and Superintendent of Public Instruc-
tion Cordoza, a trio of as infamous
scoundrels as ever disgraced official
positions in any state. Lieutenant
Governor Davis was impeached, and
the other two would have been but
were allowed, as a compromise, to
resign. The South is now rid of all
the infamous carpet bag governors
save one, W. P. Kellogg of Louisiana.

The Stanford Journal says that the
papers published in the tobacco growing
region admit that nearly all the tobacco
plants are killed. In this county there
never was a finer prospect for plants,
and the probabilities are that a large
crop will be set. It was thought at
one time, however, that the plants
were injured.

The Entertainment.

Quite a number of our young ladies
and gentlemen, gave an entertainment
at the court-house last Thursday and
Friday nights, the proceeds of which
are donated to the Methodist church
now under process of erection. The
tableaux and charades were presented
in good style, in fact, in a manner un-
surpassed by any amateur performers
we ever witnessed on the stage, and the
whole affair was a grand success,
financially, as well as entertaining.
The audience each night was larger
than we have ever seen turn out to
any pay performance of a similar kind
in Hartford, which we flatter ourselves
was in a great measure due to the ex-
tensive advertisement given in the
HERALD. The receipts amounted to
\$124. Each lady and gentleman acted
well his or her part. The acting of
Miss Mattie Berry, in the character of
Miss Harding, in the play of "Hoi-
den," could not be excelled by anyone.
How an old maid's head can be turned
topsy turvy by a dandified coxcomb,
was well exemplified by Miss Inez
Miller. Miss Lee Addington, as
"Susan Brown" and "Belinda Jane
Hopkins," was a decided success.
Miss Eva Griffin, performed all her
characters in fine style, she moved
about with the air and grace of a queen,
and it was not affectation, but seemed
natural. Miss Dollie Hardwick, acted
the character of "Mintie" in the play
of "Waterfall," to perfection. She
also performed the part of step-mother,
in "Hoiden," admirably. Miss Nettie
Miller, acted well her part in "Stage-
struck Yankee." Miss Nollie Taylor,
as "Miss Fannie Magnet," in "Stage-
struck Yankee," and Aunt "Betsy," in
"Kritsingles," delighted the audience.
In all her characters, Miss Annie
Tracy, excelled any young lady in
acting her parts naturally. She entered
into the spirit of every character and
acted it out as natural as it could be
done. Miss Ellen Taylor, in the char-
acter of "Clara," in "Only Lotta,"
acted the part of an upper tennon,
stuck-up, proud young lady, as well
as it possibly could have been done,
considering the character is so foreign
to her nature and disposition. She
also had important characters in the
plays of "Waterfall," "Manager" and
"Tax Collector," and performed her
part in each play to perfection. Miss
Mary Pendleton, as "Nora O'Flanna-
ghy," personated the Irish character
splendidly and called out rounds of
applause from the audience. Miss
Mamie Williams, was well suited to
the character of "Only Lotta," and
as an innocent, unsophisticated girl,
not afraid of work, and with no foolish
notions of vanity, and fashion, she
was a decided hit. Miss Mary Rowe,
in the plays of "Waterfall," "Krits-
ingles," and "Jeduthan and Jane,"
acted her characters very well indeed.
The young men acquitted themselves
with great credit, and regret that space
does not permit us giving them further
notice. One of the best pieces acted
by the young ladies and gentlemen,
was written by Mrs. E. A. Nall, of
this place. The only fault we could
find with it, was that it was too short
to be so good. Good judgment was
displayed in selecting the casts of char-
acters, and arranging the whole affair,
and much credit is due Miss Bettie
Cook, who was the moving spirit in the
matter. She was very materially
aided by Miss Mamie Williams and
Mr. A. T. Nall. The thanks of the
church, as well as the the public, are
tendered to the young folks, and it is
a unanimous wish that they give us
another entertainment at no distant
day. Too great a mede of praise can-
not be given to Mrs. Bettie Rowe, for
she put the ball in motion and allowed
the young folks to meet at her house,
and arrange the characters and prac-
tice for some time, very much to, to
her own inconvenience. The young
ladies and gentlemen desire to return
their thanks to her for her kindness.

Items From Cromwell.

CROMWELL, Ky., April 8.
The mill is again in operation at
this place, and the millers, Messrs.
Paxton & Wise, will do a good busi-
ness for those in the community who
have corn and wheat to grind.
The lock-up here has as yet been
occupied by but two disturbers of the
peace, and they both were profession-
al men.
School opened again in town last
Monday, under the management of
R. D. Welborn.
Mr. L. Mendel is now in Louisville,
and Mr. A. K. Leach, a jolly mer-
chant of Cromwell, has just returned
from there with a fresh stock of goods.
The school hall here has lately un-
dergone repairs.
Mrs. Dr. Hill is visiting friends in
McLean county.
Married, on the 6th instant, at the
residence of the bride's father, Mr.
Henry Daniel to Miss Idella Austin.
Mrs. John Wile has gone visiting

to Evansville.

Mr. Luther Collins, the stove man,
was in town Friday.

The storms have apparently all past
by, and spring like weather has set in.
A vast amount of clod-hopping, sow-
ing, planting, and other work by way
of farming is now going on in this
neighborhood. The sturdy farmer
may be seen, too, with handspike and
fire brand heaping and destroying at
rapid rate the fallen trees and brush.
His crackling, glowing fires may be
seen late at night, and the ascending
smoke, curling, wreathing, gathers in
great blue clouds that float in majesty
through the regions above. The toad
pours forth in continued strains, the
martin twitters and circles in the air,
looking out his summer home; the
bat soars about in silence at evening,
and all seem to usher in this genial
time.

N. ROBLEW.

FROM CENTERTOWN.

CENTERTOWN, March, 28.
EDITOR HERALD.—If it would not
be considered as a trespass, on "Le-
land's" rights I would take the liberty
of penning a few items for your paper.
Spring has come at last, in "dead
earnest," and I will state for "Leland's"
benefit, that the tobacco plants are
not all killed; and that there is some
fruit left unhurt by the "Horrible
Snow." Some of our farmers of this
locality, feared that the oats were in-
jured by the late freezes; but they
have come up pretty well, so far as I
have heard. The people are busily
engaged at present, preparing their
ground for corn.

Mrs. Margaret Warden, the lady
who had the cancer on her tongue,
died a week or two ago from its effects.
The cancer came near the middle of
her tongue, eating her tongue in two,
so that part of it fell out. She suf-
fered many weeks of untold pain and
anguish. May she find rest in Heaven,
where pain and trouble is never known.
And still they marry. Mr. Lewis
M. Ashby was married last Thursday,
to Miss Mary E. Williams, the second
daughter of Warden Williams, she
being the first to make the start of his
four daughters. May the blessing of
Heaven attend them.

Prof. Leander Phipps of Madison-
ville, also C. J. Rinder Esq. and Son,
were in our vicinity Sunday, visiting
relatives.
I attended at the preaching of the
Rev. Dr. Caperton, at West Provi-
dence church, on Saturday. He gave
some very interesting history of the
different denominations in his very able
discourse.

I regret very much that the lines in
the answer to "Miserable Snow," that
were so highly complimented by your
Grayson county correspondent, poet(?)
and prophet(?), were not original, but
the language of little children. But
there are many phrases in "Miserable
Snow" that I think are entirely origi-
nal with the writer. Such adjectives as
"horrible," "ghastly," "dismal," "hate-
ful," "despicable," joined to snow, and
such names as "plagues" and "frauds"
applied to it. If any one should think
these are not original terms, then the
first idea would be that they were taken
from some poet living in the tropical
regions. I hope his prophecy concern-
ing my early death is not correct, but
if my obituary had to be written soon,
I would not select any one in Ohio
county to write it. I would select
a good writer, and have it put in verse.
I would say to Lamont, bring out your
Robin that was driven back by the last
snow storm, as I think he can stand
the weather hereafter.

ALFRED ASHBY JR.

Mr. F. W. Griffin, formerly of
this place, but now of Elizabethtown,
Ky., paid us a visit last Saturday
morning. He is visiting relatives
here.

Dr. J. W. Meador, of Fordsville,
formerly our Representative in the
Legislature, was in town, yesterday.

Married

TAYLOR-DAVIS.—On the 30th of
March 1876, at the residence of Wm. Har-
bison, in Shelby county, Ky., by Rev.
Joseph Rand, Thomas Taylor of Ohio
county, to Miss Maggie Y. Davis of Da-
vies county.

We wish the newly married couple a
long and happy life.

Business Notices.

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Spring has come and the sun shines hot.
Go to E. Small's and get the latest agony
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change in frivolous amusements, but save
it up and buy your mother or sister a new
"Domestic." If you have no mother or
sister, find some good-natured fellow that
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may help you to a comfortable place in
the family if you shine up to the sister
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them the same way in order to keep
in the trade. When I sell on 30 day's
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month, or they will be listed with an
officer for collection.

Z. WAYNE GRIFFIN.
To the Masters of subordinate
Granges of Ohio county, Ky.:—You
are hereby notified that there will be
a County Grange organized at Goshen
church, two miles south of Hartford,
on Friday the 14th day of April 1876.
Granges that have decided to connect
themselves with the organization, will
send their delegates forward at that
time, and those that have not taken
action should do so before that time.

Yours Fraternally,
J. W. BARNETT, C. D. of O. C.

The county Democratic Executive
committee are requested to meet at
the office of S. E. Hill, in Hartford,
on the 15th inst. (next Saturday.)
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the sunny groves of the south to the ice
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making these rapid journeys the travellers
are subjected to those severe climatic in-
fluences so productive of sickness and
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Geo. W. RAY, of Owensboro, as a candi-
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Court, recently established by the
General Assembly of Ky., embracing
the counties of Hardin, Meade, Breck-
inridge, Hancock, Davies, Ohio and
Grayson. Election, August 1876.

We are authorized to announce Hon.
JOHN ALLEN MURRAY, of Breckinridge
county, as a candidate for Judge of the
Criminal Court, recently established by
the General Assembly of Kentucky
embracing the counties of Hardin,
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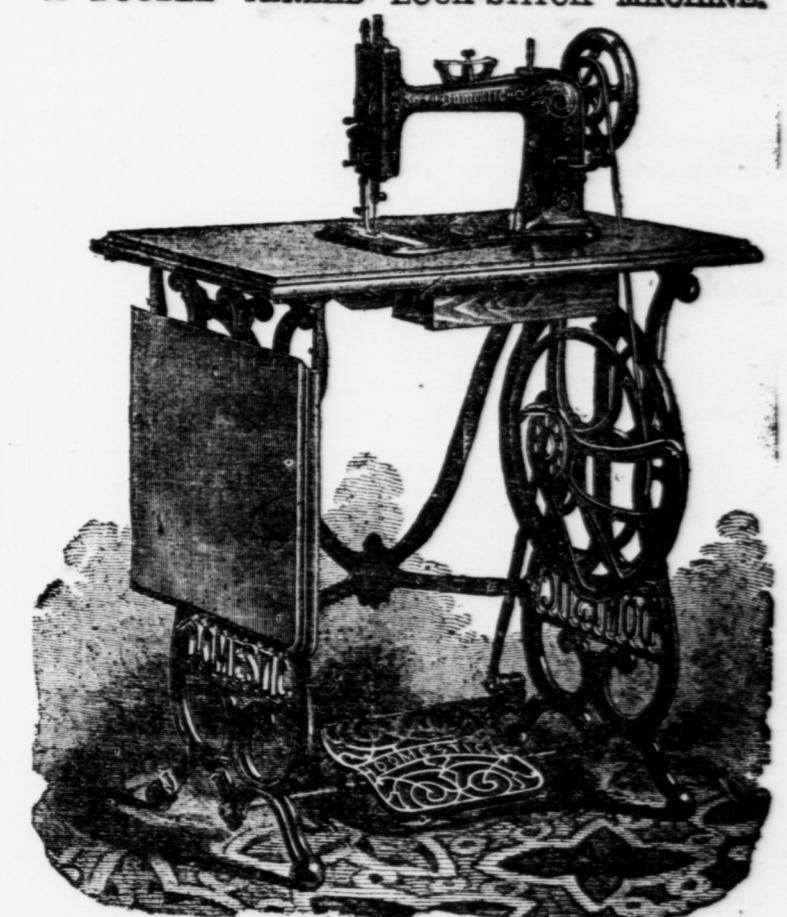
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AGRICULTURAL.

Culture and Management of Tobacco.

As I have been a tobacco raiser for 49 years, or nearly so, I thought I would give to your numerous readers, through the columns of your valuable journal, my mode of cultivating and managing the weed.

If I can get a suitable spell of weather, I like to burn plant beds in January, using wood and burning until the ground is perfectly dry. I never burn if the ground is too wet for plowing. After burning I plow the bed both ways with one-horse gopher plow, then pulverize with hoe, rake first with coarse rake, removing all roots, &c., and then with a finer rake, leveling the bed as much as possible. For sowing, I lay off the bed in rows 3 feet apart each way, and use one tablespoonful of good seed to 100 square yards, sowing each way. I rake in the seed with fine rake and roll the bed so as to make it smooth. The next thing I do is to cover the bed thickly with fine brush, removing the same about two weeks before planting time, so as to accustom the plants to the hot rays of the sun.

New land I prefer breaking with two-horse colter plow in February, cross break in March with same plow and team, plow again with one-horse gopher about the last of April or 1st of May, then harrow well, removing all roots &c., and lay off in rows 3 feet apart each way and plant on the corner of check. New land freshly prepared can be planted most any time in May, as during that month there is generally a sufficiency of moisture in the ground to enable the plant to live. Ten or twelve days after planting the young tobacco should be worked with both hoe and plow. Three plowings and two hoeings I think sufficient for new land. I prime sufficiently high to prevent the leaves left from touching the ground, and top at 12 leaves if planted in May; if planted in June, I consider it best to top at 10 leaves. I let new land tobacco stand until it is almost yellow.

If I plant old land, after wheat for instance, I break deep in September or October with turning plow; let it remain undisturbed till April, when I turn again; I then harrow well, and cross-plow frequently with one-horse gopher, until within a few days of planting time. For shipping leaf, I lay off rows 3½ feet apart each way, for manufacturing leaf, 3 feet and plant on corner of check as in new land. I sometimes plant on a small hill made in the cross, but consider it of no advantage if the land has been well prepared. I top old land shipping tobacco at 10, and manufacturing at 12 leaves, and prime as new land tobacco. It is very desirable to give plants an even start. Old land tobacco should be plowed every 8 or 10 days until too large to pass between the rows; after the last plowing, each plant should be killed up with the hoe.

In regard to destroying the worms and eggs of the tobacco fly, one can not be too particular; I agree with all it's being hard and wearisome work, but I consider it quite profitable.

When cutting time comes, I would like to manage my whole crop myself, but it is generally more than I can do. It is advisable not to commence cutting until ripe; place on sticks as soon as cut, and haul on a wagon with frame about 18 feet long and 3½ feet high, on which it can swing. Carry to the barn each day's cutting and hang tolerably well apart.

When the barn is full and tobacco will not yellow, I commence firing with slow heat, which I gradually increase to 80 or 90 degrees, then raise to 100, and continue to increase heat at the rate of 10 degrees for every two hours until you reach 140; keep temperature at that stage until leaf is cured, and finally cure stalk by increasing heat to 150 degrees.

Tobacco should not be allowed to become too yellow if this mode is restored to. Charcoal is preferable to wood for firing tobacco. It should be bulked the first it comes in order after being cured. Keep each class separate in stripping, and never hang it in the hand until March, let it dry out then, and take it down again the first time you can do so in good order, that is, when one-third of stem will break and the leaf is pliant. It will then be ready for pricing.

Hogheads 44 inches in diameter and 4 feet 10 inches high, should contain 1,800 to 2,000 lbs. shipping, or 1,400 to 1,600 lbs. manufacturing tobacco.

Tobacco managed in the manner

herein described will yield 1,200 to 1,400 lbs. per acre on land which will make 20 bushels of wheat, and will sell most any season for 10 cents per lb., which is an income of \$120 to \$140 per acre. A few years ago I sold some, managed this way, for 36 and 32½ cents per pound, and lugs for 12½ cents.

I would advise planting rather a small area than one too large, which generally suffers from a lack of proper cultivation, &c.—Cor. Farmers' Home Journal.

Republican Convention.

The convention of the Republicans of Ohio county, was held at Hartford, on the 3rd day of April, 1876. The meeting was called to order by Geo. C. Wedding Esq. who briefly stated the object of the meeting to be the selection of delegates to the Republican Convention to be held at Louisville, Ky., on the 18th day of May, next. On motion of Dr. W. J. Berry, Robt. Duncan, of Cool Spring precinct was chosen Chairman over Remus Gibson, nominated by E. L. Wise. E. C. Hubbard and Jas. A. Park, were chosen Secretaries. On motion of Dr. W. J. Berry, the following were appointed a committee on Resolutions Wm. King, Isaac Axton, Wm. Keith, W. J. Berry, R. F. Taylor, W. D. McIntyre, Thos. Landrum, Jas. Rogers, A. P. Hudson, and E. L. Wise. The committee retired and while absent the Convention was addressed by Hon. O. P. Johnson, eulogizing the several candidates prominent for the Presidential nomination. In the midst of his speech, the committee on Resolutions appeared and reported through their chairman, Dr. W. J. Berry, the following, which upon motion of Geo. C. Wedding, were adopted separately.

RESOLUTIONS.

1st. We are for a unity of the nation and the just rights of the States; for the full reconciliation and enduring harmony of all sections; for the preservation of the results of the war, and the constitutional rights of every citizen, for thorough reformation and reform; for the unsparring pursuit, exposure and punishment of public frauds and official dishonesty; for the elevation of the public service and pure and efficient government; for maintaining untarnished the National credit and honor; for sound currency of coin, or paper convertible into coin, and for the common schools absolutely free from sectarian influences.

2d. Without regard to past differences, we cordially invite all who believe that the direction of the Government should not pass into the hands of those who seek to destroy it, and all who wish a pure and economical government administered by honest, capable officers, to unite with us in fraternal and mutual considerate co-operation for the promotion of these ends.

3d. We emphatically condemn the dishonesty and treachery of every official who is faithless to his trust, and approve the injunction, let no guilty man, however high, escape. We believe the virtue of the people which saved the nation through the war will protect it from the dangers of corruption. We commend the good work of the National Administration in protecting the public treasury and punishing offenders.

4th. That we favor the nomination at Cincinnati of candidates who have not, either immediately or remotely, been connected with frauds upon the Government, or with the friends of those who have, and the candidates so nominated should be men whose records, integrity and abilities are above suspicion, and whose personal characters are such that will afford a guaranty of thorough reform in the administration of the Government.

5th. As a Statesman and a patriot of the highest ability and character, whose public career is without reproach; who has faithfully served the cause of freedom and union throughout the great struggle of the past fifteen years; who has been steadfast to equal rights and financial honesty, and the unflinching exponent of Republican principles, and who possesses the experience, capacity, courage and principle which qualify him to give strength and honor to our government, we present B. H. Bristow as our choice for President.

6th. That W. J. Berry, O. P. Johnson, E. C. Hubbard, E. L. Wise, R. F. Taylor, J. J. Leach, Robt. Duncan, Robt. Wedding, G. C. Wedding, James Axton, James Stevens, Isaac Axton, Wm. Keith, and all other true Republicans, are appointed delegates to the Republican Convention to be held at Louisville.

7th. That these resolutions be published in the HARTFORD HERALD and Louisville Commercial.

Hon. O. P. Johnson, moved to substitute the name of Hon. O. P. Morton, for the name of Gen. B. H. Bristow. Upon this substitute there was an exciting contest, and the Convention was

treated to a series of speeches on both sides of the question. Robt. G. Wedding and O. P. Johnson, favored an instruction for Morton, while James Rogers, Dr. W. J. Berry and E. C. Hubbard, favored the report of the committee. A vote was taken, but it not being satisfactory, O. P. Johnson and E. C. Hubbard were appointed tellers to count the vote. Upon the count being taken, the tellers failed to agree as to the number, and it was finally consented that the vote was a tie, whereupon the Chairman gave the casting vote in favor of Gen. Bristow, thus ending the contest. On motion of Hon. O. P. Johnson, Geo. C. Wedding was unanimously recommended for the position of Elector of the 2nd Congressional District, and as being a young lawyer of fine ability and fully able to cope with the best speakers of the opposition. The attendance was large, and general order and good humor prevailed.

At the Republican convention the following persons were appointed committees in the several precincts: Caney—James Axton, James Rogers, Crowell—R. F. Taylor, J. J. Leach. No. 7—James Byers, E. L. Wise. No. 9—Tom Allen, Tom Furman. Centerville—Henry Tinsley, W. J. McIntyre. Cool Spring—Robt. Duncan, Wm. Keith. Bells Store—D. J. French, Chas. Hipsley. Ellis—Jacob Miller, Silas Phillips. Fordville—Tom Phillips, Jas. Whittinghill. Sulph. Springs—Thos. Wedding, P. Taber. Bartlett—Jackson Yates, Van B. Morgan.

RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

Louisville, Paducah & Southwestern.

The down train for Paducah leaves Louisville, daily except Sunday at 8:45 a.m. and arrives at

Cecil Junction	11:25 a.m.
Grayson Springs	12:50 p.m.
Leitchfield	1:03 "
Millwood	1:18 "
Beaver Dam	2:35 "
Rockport	3:20 "
Owensboro Junction	3:47 "
Greenville	4:05 "
Nortonville Junction	5:00 "
Paducah	9:00 "

The up train for Louisville leaves Paducah daily except Sunday at 6:45 a.m. and arrives at

Nortonville Junction	10:25 a.m.
Greenville	11:33 "
Owensboro Junction	11:55 "
Rockport	12:25 p.m.
Beaver Dam	12:55 "
Leitchfield	2:55 "
Grayson Springs	3:05 "
Big Clifty	3:20 "
Cecil Junction	4:00 "
Louisville	6:20 "

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MAIL.	
Leaves	Arrives
Owensboro at 9:00 a.m.	6:20 p.m.
Sutherland's " 9:38 "	5:52 "
Crow's " 9:46 "	5:44 "
Lewis " 9:58 "	5:32 "
Riley's " 10:10 "	5:20 "
Tichenor's " 10:22 "	5:08 "
Livermore " 10:34 "	4:56 "
Island " 10:46 "	4:44 "
Stroud's " 10:58 "	4:32 "
S. Carrollton " 11:18 "	4:20 "
Owensboro Jun. 11:30 "	4:08 "

ACCOMMODATION.

Leaves	Arrives
Owensboro at 2:30 p.m.	10:26 a.m.
Sutherland's " 3:10 "	6:56 "
Crow's " 3:20 "	6:45 "
Lewis " 3:35 "	6:30 "
Riley's " 3:50 "	6:10 "
Tichenor's " 4:05 "	5:55 "
Livermore " 4:20 "	5:40 "
Island " 4:35 "	5:25 "
Stroud's " 4:50 "	5:10 "
S. Carrollton " 5:10 "	4:55 "
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